SENATE BILL No. 307

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 10-13-5; IC 12-10-18-3; IC 12-17.2; IC 16-37-1-8; IC 20-26-13-10; IC 20-33-2-10; IC 31-34; IC 31-36; IC 34-30-2-35.7.

Synopsis: Silver alert for missing endangered adults. Creates the silver alert program to alert the public regarding missing endangered adults. Renames the Indiana clearinghouse for information on missing children as the Indiana clearinghouse for information on missing children and missing endangered adults (clearinghouse). Requires the clearinghouse to operate the silver alert program in addition to operating the Amber alert program. Makes conforming changes.

Effective: July 1, 2009.

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January 7, 2009, read first time and referred to Committee on Health and Provider Services.





First Regular Session 116th General Assembly (2009)

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning public safety.

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Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

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SECTION 1. IC 10-13-5-3 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2009]: Sec. 3. As used in this chapter, "clearinghouse" refers to the Indiana clearinghouse for information on missing children and missing endangered adults established by section 5 of this chapter.

SECTION 2. IC 10-13-5-4.3 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A **NEW** SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2009]: Sec. 4.3. As used in this chapter, "missing endangered adult" means an adult who is a high risk missing person under the definition in IC 5-2-17-1.

SECTION 3. IC 10-13-5-4.6 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2009]: Sec. 4.6. As used in this chapter, "silver alert program" means a program under which the clearinghouse transmits information about missing endangered adults to broadcasters who:

- (1) have agreed to participate in the program; and
- (2) immediately and repeatedly broadcast the information to



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2	the general public. SECTION 4. IC 10-13-5-5 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
3	FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2009]: Sec. 5. The Indiana
4	clearinghouse for information on missing children and missing
5	endangered adults is established within the department.
6	SECTION 5. IC 10-13-5-6 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
7	FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2009]: Sec. 6. (a) The
8	superintendent shall designate staff responsible for the operation of the
9	clearinghouse.
10	(b) The staff's duties include the following:
11	(1) Creation and operation of an intrastate network of
12	communication designed for the speedy collection and processing
13	of information concerning missing children and missing
14	endangered adults.
15	(2) Creation and operation of a central data storage, retrieval, and
16	information distribution system designed for the exchange of
17	information on missing children and missing endangered adults
18	within and outside Indiana. The system must be capable of
19	interacting with:
20	(A) the Indiana data and communication system under
21	IC 10-13-3-35; and
22	(B) the National Crime Information Center.
23	(3) Development of appropriate forms for the reporting of missing
24	children and missing endangered adults that may be used by
25	law enforcement agencies and private citizens to provide useful
26	information about a missing child or a missing endangered
27	adult to the clearinghouse.
28	(4) Cooperation with the following agencies concerning the
29	location of missing children and missing endangered adults:
30	(A) State and local public and private nonprofit agencies
31	involved with the location and recovery of missing persons.
32	(B) Agencies of the federal government.
33	(C) State and local law enforcement agencies within and
34	outside Indiana.
35	(5) Coordinating efforts to locate missing children and missing
36	endangered adults with the agencies listed in subdivision (4).
37	(6) Operation of the toll free telephone line created under section
38	7(a) of this chapter.
39	(7) Publishing and updating, on a quarterly basis, a directory of
40	missing children and missing endangered adults.
41	(8) Compiling statistics on missing children and missing
42	endangered adult cases handled by the clearinghouse, including



1	the number of cases resolved each year.
2	SECTION 6. IC 10-13-5-7 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
3	FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2009]: Sec. 7. (a) The
4	clearinghouse shall do the following:
5	(1) Collect, process, and maintain identification and investigative
6	information to aid in finding missing children and missing
7	endangered adults.
8	(2) Establish a statewide, toll free telephone line for reports the
9	reporting:
0	(A) of missing children and missing endangered adults; and
1	(B) of sightings of missing children and missing endangered
2	adults.
3	(3) Prescribe a uniform reporting form concerning missing
4	children and missing endangered adults for use by law
5	enforcement agencies within Indiana.
6	(4) Assist in training law enforcement and other professionals on
7	issues relating to missing children and missing endangered
8	adults.
9	(5) Operate a resource center of information regarding the
20	prevention of:
21	(A) the abduction of children; and
22	(B) the sexual exploitation of children.
23	(6) Distribute the quarterly directory prepared under section
24	6(b)(7) of this chapter to schools and hospitals.
25	(7) Distribute the quarterly directory described in subdivision (6)
26	to child care centers and child care homes that make an annual
27	contribution of four dollars (\$4) to the clearinghouse. The
8.8	contributions must be used to help defray the cost of publishing
.9	the quarterly directory.
0	(b) For a missing child who was born in Indiana, the clearinghouse
1	shall notify the vital statistics division of the state department of health:
2	(1) within fifteen (15) days after receiving a report under
3	IC 31-36-1-3 (or IC 31-6-13-4 before its repeal) of a missing child
4	less than thirteen (13) years of age; and
35	(2) promptly after the clearinghouse is notified that a missing
66	child has been found.
7	(c) Upon receiving notification under subsection (b) that a child is
8	missing or has been found, the vital statistics division of the state
19	department of health shall notify the local health department or the
10	health and hospital corporation that has jurisdiction over the area where
1	the child was born.
12	(d) Information collected, processed, or maintained by the



1	clearinghouse under subsection (a) is confidential and is not subject to
2	IC 5-14-3, but may be disclosed by the clearinghouse for purposes of
3	locating missing children and missing endangered adults.
4	SECTION 7. IC 10-13-5-8 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
5	FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2009]: Sec. 8. (a) The
6	clearinghouse may shall operate an Amber alert program and the
7	silver alert program.
8	(b) Upon the establishment of an Amber alert program and the
9	silver alert program, the clearinghouse may enter into an agreement
10	with one (1) or more broadcasters to operate the Amber alert program
11	and the silver alert program under this chapter.
12	(c) The superintendent shall designate staff responsible for the
13	operation of the Amber alert program and the silver alert program.
14	(d) The department shall adopt guidelines governing the
15	clearinghouse's operation of the Amber alert program and the silver
16	alert program. The department's guidelines may require that staff,
17	upon receiving a report that a child has been abducted or an
18	endangered adult is missing, immediately send by facsimile (fax)
19	transmission or other means of communication a description of the
20	abducted child or missing endangered adult to one (1) or more
21	broadcasters participating in the Amber alert program or the silver
22	alert program.
23	(e) A broadcaster participating in the Amber alert program or the
24	silver alert program shall immediately broadcast:
25	(1) a description of the abducted child or missing endangered
26	adult; and
27	(2) other information that will assist in locating the abducted child
28	or missing endangered adult;
29	to the general public in accordance with the Amber alert plan
30	agreement or the silver alert plan agreement between the
31	clearinghouse and the broadcaster.
32	(f) The department shall adopt guidelines governing the voluntary
33	Amber alert program agreement and the silver alert program
34	agreement between the clearinghouse and a broadcaster. The
35	voluntary agreement agreements between the clearinghouse and the
36	broadcaster may include the following provisions:
37	(1) Upon receiving a notification as part of the Amber alert
38	program or the silver alert program, the broadcaster shall
39	broadcast the information contained on the notice on an
40	intermittent basis for a period of time as provided in the
41	agreement between the clearinghouse and the broadcaster.

(2) The broadcaster shall treat the Amber alert notification or the



1	silver alert notification as an emergency.
2	(3) The broadcaster shall ensure that the facsimile (fax)
3	transmission machine or other communications device used to
4	receive an Amber alert notification or a silver alert notification
5	is:
6	(A) generally available to receive an Amber alert notification
7	or a silver alert notification; and
8	(B) located such that the broadcaster will immediately become
9	aware of an incoming Amber alert notification or silver alert
10	notification.
11	SECTION 8. IC 10-13-5-8.1, AS ADDED BY P.L.66-2007,
12	SECTION 6, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
13	JULY 1, 2009]: Sec. 8.1. (a) In addition to an agreement with a
14	broadcaster under section 8 of this chapter, the clearinghouse may enter
15	into an agreement with one (1) or more electronic billboard operators
16	to display Amber alerts or silver alerts under this section. An
17	agreement under this section may include a limitation on the days and
18	times that the electronic billboard operator is required to have staff
19	present to receive an Amber alert or a silver alert notification.
20	(b) The department's guidelines adopted under section 8 of this
21	chapter may require staff, upon receiving a report that a child has been
22	abducted or an endangered adult is missing, to immediately send by
23	facsimile (fax) transmission or other means of communication a
24	description of the abducted child or missing endangered adult to one
25	(1) or more electronic billboard operators participating in the Amber
26	alert program or silver alert program if the Amber alert or silver
27	alert occurs during a period when the electronic billboard operator has
28	agreed to have staff present to receive an Amber alert notification or
29	a silver alert notification.
30	(c) An electronic billboard operator participating in the Amber alert
31	program or silver alert program shall immediately display:
32	(1) a description of the abducted child or missing endangered
33	adult; and
34	(2) other information that will assist in locating the abducted child
35	or missing endangered adult;
36	to the general public in accordance with the Amber alert plan
37	agreement or silver alert plan between the clearinghouse and the
38	electronic billboard operator.
39	(d) The department shall adopt guidelines governing the voluntary
40	Amber alert program and silver alert program agreement between the
41	clearinghouse and an electronic billboard operator. The voluntary
42	agreement between the clearinghouse and the electronic billboard



1	operator may include the following provisions:
2	(1) Upon receiving a notification as part of the Amber alert
3	program or the silver alert program, the electronic billboard
4	operator shall display the information contained in the notice on
5	an intermittent basis for a period of time as provided in the
6	agreement between the clearinghouse and the electronic billboard
7	operator.
8	(2) The electronic billboard operator shall treat the Amber alert
9	notification or the silver alert notification as an emergency.
.0	(3) The electronic billboard operator shall ensure that the
1	facsimile (fax) transmission machine or other communications
2	device used to receive an Amber alert notification or a silver
3	alert notification is:
4	(A) generally available to receive an Amber alert notification
5	or a silver alert notification; and
6	(B) located such that the electronic billboard operator will
7	immediately become aware of an incoming Amber alert
8	notification or a silver alert notification received during days
9	and times when staff is present to receive an Amber alert
20	notification or a silver alert notification.
21	SECTION 9. IC 10-13-5-8.5, AS AMENDED BY P.L.66-2007,
22	SECTION 7, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
23	JULY 1, 2009]: Sec. 8.5. (a) A broadcaster or electronic billboard
24	operator that has agreed to participate in the Amber alert program or
25	silver alert program and that:
26	(1) receives an Amber alert notification or a silver alert
27	notification from the department; and
28	(2) broadcasts or displays:
.9	(A) a description of the abducted child or missing
0	endangered adult contained in the notification; and
31	(B) other information contained in the notification that will
32	assist in locating the child or missing endangered adult;
33	is immune from civil liability based on the broadcast or display of the
34	information received from the department.
35	(b) If:
66	(1) a person enters into an agreement with the department to
37	establish or maintain an Amber alert web site or a silver alert
8	web site; and
19	(2) the agreement provides that only the department has the
10	ability to place information on the web site;
1	the person is immune from civil liability for the information placed on
12	the web site by the department. However, this subsection does not



1	affect the applicability of IC 34-13-3 to the department.	
2	SECTION 10. IC 12-10-18-3, AS ADDED BY P.L.140-2005,	
3	SECTION 3, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE	
4	JULY 1, 2009]: Sec. 3. (a) Upon completion of the report described by	
5	section 1 of this chapter, if the law enforcement agency has reason to	
6	believe that public notification may assist in locating the missing	
7	endangered adult, the law enforcement agency may immediately	
8	forward the contents of the report to:	
9	(1) all law enforcement agencies that have jurisdiction in the	
10	location where the missing endangered adult lives and all law	1
11	enforcement agencies that have jurisdiction in the location where	1
12	the missing endangered adult was last seen;	
13	(2) all law enforcement agencies to which the person who made	
14	the notification concerning the missing endangered adult requests	
15	the report be sent, if the law enforcement agency determines that	
16	the request is reasonable in light of the information received;	-
17	(3) all law enforcement agencies that request a copy of the report;	,
18	(4) one (1) or more broadcasters that broadcast in an area where	
19	the missing endangered adult may be located;	
20	(5) the Indiana data and communication system (IDACS); and	
21	(6) the National Crime Information Center's Missing Person File,	
22	if appropriate; and	
23	(7) the Indiana clearinghouse for information on children and	
24	missing endangered adults established by IC 10-13-5-5, to	ļ
25	disseminate information concerning the missing endangered	
26	adult to be broadcast by the silver alert program.	_
27	(b) Upon completion of the report described by section 1 of this	\
28	chapter, a law enforcement agency may forward a copy of the contents	
29	of the report to one (1) or more newspapers distributed in an area	1
30	where the missing endangered adult may be located.	
31	(c) After forwarding the contents of the report to a broadcaster or	
32	newspaper under this section, the law enforcement agency may request	
33	that the broadcaster or newspaper:	
34	(1) notify the public that there is an endangered adult medical	
35	alert; and	
36	(2) broadcast or publish:	
37	(A) a description of the missing endangered adult; and	
38	(B) any other relevant information that would assist in locating	
39	the missing endangered adult.	
40	(d) A broadcaster or newspaper that receives a request concerning	
41	a missing endangered adult under subsection (c) may, at the discretion	
42	of the broadcaster or newspaper:	



1	(1) notify the public that there is an endangered adult medical
2	alert; and
3	(2) broadcast or publish:
4	(A) a description of the missing endangered adult; and
5	(B) any other relevant information that would assist in locating
6	the missing endangered adult.
7	SECTION 11. IC 12-17.2-2-1.5, AS AMENDED BY P.L.145-2006,
8	SECTION 92, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
9	JULY 1, 2009]: Sec. 1.5. (a) The division shall require all child care
10	centers or child care homes to submit a report containing the names
11	and birth dates of all children who are enrolled in the child care center
12	or child care home within three (3) months from the date the child care
13	center or child care home accepts its first child, upon receiving the
14	consent of the child's parent, guardian, or custodian as required under
15	subsection (b). The division shall require all child care centers and
16	child care homes that receive written consent as described under
17	subsection (b) to submit a monthly report of the name and birth date of
18	each additional child who has been enrolled in or withdrawn from the
19	child care center or child care home during the preceding thirty (30)
20	days.
21	(b) The division shall require all child care centers or child care
22	homes to request whether the child's parent, guardian, or custodian
23	desires the center or home to include the child's name and birth date in
24	the reports described under subsection (a) before enrolling the child in
25	the center or home. No child's name or birth date may be included on
26	the report required under subsection (a) without the signed consent of
27	the child's parent, guardian, or custodian. The consent form must be in
28	the following form:
29	"I give my permission for (name of day
30	care center or home) to report the name and birth date of my child
31	or children to the division of family resources pursuant to
32	IC 12-17.2-2-1.5.
33	Name of child
34	Birth date
35	Signature of parent, guardian, or custodian
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37	Date".
38	(c) The division shall submit a monthly report of the information
39	provided under subsection (a) to the Indiana clearinghouse for
40	information on missing children and missing endangered adults
41	established under IC 10-13-5.
42	(d) The division shall require that a person who transports children



who are in the care of the child care center on a public highway (as defined in IC 9-25-2-4) within or outside Indiana in a vehicle designed and constructed for the accommodation of more than ten (10) passengers must comply with the same requirements set forth in IC 20-27-9-12 for a public elementary or secondary school or a preschool operated by a school corporation.

SECTION 12. IC 12-17.2-4-18.5 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2009]: Sec. 18.5. (a) Upon receiving a report under IC 31-36-1-4, a child care center shall thoroughly inspect the report. If the child care center finds that a child on the report required under IC 31-36-1-4 is enrolled at the child care center, the child care center shall immediately notify the Indiana clearinghouse for information on missing children and missing endangered adults.

- (b) Upon receiving a report under IC 31-36-1-4, a child care center shall attach a notice to the child's enrollment records stating that the child has been reported missing. The child care center shall remove the notice when the center is notified under IC 31-36-2-6 that the child has been found.
- (c) If a request for the enrollment records of a missing child is received, the child care center shall:
 - (1) obtain:

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- (A) the name, address, and telephone number of the person making the request; and
- (B) the reason that the person is requesting the school records; and
- (2) immediately notify the Indiana clearinghouse for information on missing children and missing endangered adults.
- (d) The child care center may not issue a copy of the enrollment records of a child reported missing without authorization from the Indiana clearinghouse for information on missing children **and missing endangered adults** and may not inform the person making the request that a notice that the child has been reported missing has been attached to the child's records.

SECTION 13. IC 12-17.2-5-18.6 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2009]: Sec. 18.6. (a) Upon receiving a report under IC 31-36-1-4, a child care home shall thoroughly inspect the report. If the child care home finds that a child on the report required under IC 31-36-1-4 is enrolled at the child care home, the child care home shall immediately notify the Indiana clearinghouse for information on missing children **and missing endangered adults.**

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(b) Upon receiving a report under IC 31-36-1-4, a child care home shall attach a notice to the child's enrollment records stating that the child has been reported missing. The child care home shall remove the notice when the center is notified under IC 31-36-2-6 that the child has been found. (c) If a request for the enrollment records of a missing child is received, the child care home shall: (1) obtain: (A) the name, address, and telephone number of the person making the request; and (B) the reason that the person is requesting the school records; and (2) immediately notify the Indiana clearinghouse for information on missing children and missing endangered adults. (d) The child care home may not issue a copy of the enrollment records of a child reported missing without authorization from the Indiana clearinghouse for information on missing children and missing endangered adults and may not inform the person making the request that a notice that the child has been reported missing has been attached to the child's records. SECTION 1, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2009]: Sec. 8. (a) Except as provided in subsection (c), a local health officer shall provide a certification of birth, death, or stillbirth registration upon request by any person only if: (1) the health officer determines that the certificate is necessary for the determination of personal or property rights or for compliance with state or federal law; and (3) the applicant for a birth certificate presents at least one (1) form of identification. (b) A local health officer must issue a certificate of an applicant's own birth registration. (c) A local health officer may not issue a copy of a birth certificate of a missing child to which a notice has been attached under IC 10-13-5-11 without the authorization of the Indiana clearinghouse for information on missing children and missing endangered adults. (d) Upon determination that a person may be provided a certification of death under all person may be provided a certifi		
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1	provide to the person a certification of death that excludes information	
2	concerning the cause of death if the person requests the exclusion of	
3	this information.	
4	SECTION 15. IC 20-26-13-10, AS AMENDED BY P.L.45-2008,	
5	SECTION 1, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE	
6	JULY 1, 2009]: Sec. 10. Except as provided in section 11 of this	
7	chapter, the four (4) year graduation rate for a cohort in a high school	
8	is the percentage determined under STEP FIVE of the following	
9	formula:	
10	STEP ONE: Determine the grade 9 enrollment at the beginning of	
11	the reporting year three (3) years before the reporting year for	
12	which the graduation rate is being determined.	·
13	STEP TWO: Add:	
14	(A) the number determined under STEP ONE; and	
15	(B) the number of students who:	
16	(i) have enrolled in the high school after the date on which	
17	the number determined under STEP ONE was determined;	
18	and	
19	(ii) have the same expected graduation year as the cohort.	
20	STEP THREE: Subtract from the sum determined under STEP	
21	TWO the number of students who have left the cohort for any of	
22	the following reasons:	
23	(A) Transfer to another public or nonpublic school.	
24	(B) Removal by the student's parents under IC 20-33-2-28 to	
25	provide instruction equivalent to that given in the public	
26	schools.	
27	(C) Withdrawal because of a long term medical condition or	
28	death.	\
29	(D) Detention by a law enforcement agency or the department	
30	of correction.	
31	(E) Placement by a court order or the department of child	
32	services.	
33	(F) Enrollment in a virtual school.	
34	(G) Leaving school, if the student attended school in Indiana	
35	for less than one (1) school year and the location of the student	
36	cannot be determined.	
37	(H) Leaving school, if the location of the student cannot be	
38	determined and the student has been reported to the Indiana	
39	clearinghouse for information on missing children and	
40	missing endangered adults.	
41	(I) Withdrawing from school before graduation, if the student	
12	is a high ability student (as defined in IC 20-36-1-3) who is a	



1	full-time student at an accredited institution of higher
2	education during the semester in which the cohort graduates.
3	STEP FOUR: Determine the total number of students determined
4	under STEP TWO who have graduated during the current
5	reporting year or a previous reporting year.
6	STEP FIVE: Divide:
7	(A) the number determined under STEP FOUR; by
8	(B) the remainder determined under STEP THREE.
9	SECTION 16. IC 20-33-2-10, AS ADDED BY P.L.1-2005,
10	SECTION 17, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
11	JULY 1, 2009]: Sec. 10. (a) Each public school shall and each private
12	school may require a student who initially enrolls in the school to
13	provide:
14	(1) the name and address of the school the student last attended;
15	and
16	(2) a certified copy of the student's birth certificate or other
17	reliable proof of the student's date of birth.
18	(b) Not more than fourteen (14) days after initial enrollment in a
19	school, the school shall request the student's records from the school
20	the student last attended.
21	(c) If the document described in subsection (a)(2):
22	(1) is not provided to the school not more than thirty (30) days
23	after the student's enrollment; or
24	(2) appears to be inaccurate or fraudulent;
25	the school shall notify the Indiana clearinghouse for information on
26	missing children and missing endangered adults established under
27	IC 10-13-5-5 and determine if the student has been reported missing.
28	(d) A school in Indiana receiving a request for records shall send the
29	records promptly to the requesting school. However, if a request is received for records to which a notice has been attached under
30 31	IC 31-36-1-5 (or IC 31-6-13-6 before its repeal), the school:
32	(1) shall immediately notify the Indiana clearinghouse for
33	information on missing children and missing endangered
34	adults;
35	(2) may not send the school records without the authorization of
36	the clearinghouse; and
37	(3) may not inform the requesting school that a notice under
38	IC 31-36-1-5 (or IC 31-6-13-6 before its repeal) has been attached
39	to the records.
10	SECTION 17. IC 31-34-2-5 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
+0 41	FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2009]: Sec. 5. If a child in need of
+1 42	services is a missing child and is taken into custody under a court
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1	order, the person taking the child into custody shall do the following:
2	(1) Take the child to a place designated in the order.
3	(2) Give notice to the following that the child has been taken into
4	custody:
5	(A) The child's legal custodian.
6	(B) The clearinghouse for information on missing children
7	and missing endangered adults established by IC 10-13-5.
8	SECTION 18. IC 31-34-2.5-2, AS AMENDED BY P.L.234-2005,
9	SECTION 169, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS
10	[EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2009]: Sec. 2. (a) Immediately after an
11	emergency medical services provider takes custody of a child under
12	section 1 of this chapter, the provider shall notify the department of
13	child services that the provider has taken custody of the child.
14	(b) The department of child services shall:
15	(1) assume the care, control, and custody of the child immediately
16	after receiving notice under subsection (a); and
17	(2) not later than forty-eight (48) hours after the department of
18	child services has taken custody of the child, contact the Indiana
19	clearinghouse for information on missing children and missing
20	endangered adults established by IC 10-13-5-5 to determine if
21	the child has been reported missing.
22	SECTION 19. IC 31-36-1-3 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
23	FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2009]: Sec. 3. Upon completion of
24	the report required by section 1 of this chapter, the law enforcement
25	agency shall immediately forward the contents of the report to:
26	(1) all law enforcement agencies that have jurisdiction of the
27	location in which the missing child lives and all law enforcement
28	agencies that have jurisdiction of the location in which the
29	missing child was last seen;
30	(2) all law enforcement agencies to which the person who
31	provided notification requests the report be sent, if the law
32	enforcement agency determines that the request is reasonable in
33	light of the information contained in the report;
34	(3) all law enforcement agencies that request a copy of the report;
35	(4) the Indiana clearinghouse for information on missing children
36	and missing endangered adults established by IC 10-13-5;
37	(5) the Indiana data and communication system (IDACS); and
38	(6) the National Crime Information Center's Missing Person File.
39	SECTION 20. IC 31-36-1-5 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
40	FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2009]: Sec. 5. (a) Upon receiving
41	a report under section 4 of this chapter, a school shall attach a notice
42	to the child's school records stating that the child has been reported



1	missing. The school shall remove the notice when the school is notified
2	under IC 31-36-2-6 that the child has been found.
3	(b) If a request for the school records of a missing child is received,
4	the school shall:
5	(1) obtain:
6	(A) the name, address, and telephone number of the person
7	making the request; and
8	(B) the reason that the person is requesting the school records;
9	and
10	(2) immediately notify the Indiana clearinghouse for information
11	on missing children and missing endangered adults.
12	(c) The school may not issue a copy of school records without
13	authorization from the Indiana clearinghouse for information on
14	missing children and missing endangered adults and may not inform
15	the person making the request that a notice that the child has been
16	reported missing has been attached to the child's records.
17	SECTION 21. IC 31-36-2-2 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
18	FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2009]: Sec. 2. A law enforcement
19	agency involved in the investigation of a missing child shall do the
20	following:
21	(1) Update the initial report filed by the agency that received
22	notification of the missing child upon the discovery of new
23	information concerning the investigation.
24	(2) Forward the updated report to the agencies and organizations
25	listed in IC 31-36-1-3.
26	(3) Search the National Crime Information Center's Wanted
27	Person File for reports of arrest warrants issued for persons who
28	allegedly abducted or unlawfully retained children and compare
29	these reports to the missing child's National Crime Information
30	Center's Missing Person File.
31	(4) Notify all law enforcement agencies involved in the
32	investigation, the Indiana clearinghouse for information on
33	missing children and missing endangered adults, and the
34	National Crime Information Center when the missing child is
35	located.
36	SECTION 22. IC 34-30-2-35.7, AS AMENDED BY P.L.66-2007,
37	SECTION 8, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
38	JULY 1, 2009]: Sec. 35.7. IC 10-13-5-8.5 (Concerning a broadcaster
39	who broadcasts or an electronic billboard operator who displays an
40	Amber alert notification or a silver alert notification and a person
41	who establishes or maintains an Amber alert web site or a silver alert
42	web site under an agreement with the state police department).

